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C O N F I D E N T I A L ROME 9584

C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (TEXT)

BRUSSELS ALSO FOR USEEC

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EGEN, EINV, UN, ECOSOC, IT

SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS

REFS: (A) STATE 124539; (B) ROME 9311; (C) STATE 131106

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1. I RAISED SUBJECT OF ILLICIT PAYMENTS AGREEMENT WITH FOREIGN  
MINISTER FORLANI ON JUNE 8. IN ESSENCE, I STRESSED THREE  
POINTS: (A) IMPORTANCE OF ISSUE TO THE ADMINISTRATION AND  
BELIEF THAT IS IS IN COMMON INTEREST TO WORK TOWARD AN  
INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT; (B) OUR REQUEST FOR GOI SUPPORT FOR  
WORKING GROUP AND FULL ECOSOC ENDORSEMENT OF PREPARATION OF

DRAFT AGREEMENT PRESENTATION TO DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE  
IN 1978; AND (C) CONCERN OVER APPARENT SHIFT IN GOI'S ATTITUDE  
TOWARDS OUR EFFORTS.

2. FORLANI MADE NO SUBSTANTIVE COMMENT ON ANY OF THE POINTS  
I RAISED. HE FIRST NOTED DISCUSSION WHICH HAD TAKEN PLACE  
AT LONDON SUMMIT ON THIS ISSUE, INCLUDING GENERAL CONSENSUS  
ON IMPORTANCE OF ISSUE, AND THEN CONCEDED THAT ISSUE HAD NOT  
BEEN SUBJECT OF ANY SERIOUS REVIEW WITHIN GOI. SINCE FORLANI  
CLEARLY NOT BRIEFED ON ISSUE, I ADVISED HIM THAT SENIOR MFA  
OFFICIAL MIGLIUOLO WAS FULLY CONVERSANT WITH DETAILS AND HAD BEEN  
GIVEN AIDE MEMOIRE OUTLINING OUR POSITION (REF B).

3. WHILE FORLANI PROMISED TO LOOK INTO MATTER BEFORE JUNE 27  
MEETING OF ECOSOC WORKING GROUP, HE PROBABLY WILL NOT HAVE  
MUCH TIME SINCE HE LEAVES JUNE 11 OF 12 FOR WEEK-LONG TRIP  
TO PRC. WE WILL SEEK TO FOLLOW UP WITH MIGLIUOLO IN NEXT  
FEW DAYS.  
GARDNER

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